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City and County of Honolulu  
Honolulu Hale  
530 South King Street, Room 202  
Honolulu, HI 96813

Subject: Testimony in support of Bill 13 (2015), CD2, FD1

Dear Chair Martin and Members of the Honolulu City Council,

Bill 13, CD2 proposed by Council Member Fukunaga, provides funding for the Honolulu Police Department to implement a body camera pilot project. This pilot project will increase transparency and accountability for the Honolulu Police Department, while also improving public safety for both police officers and the general public. I applaud the Honolulu City Council for taking action on this important issue.

Sincerely,

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